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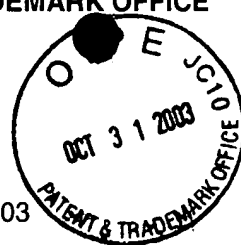
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In response to the Office Action dated 10/01/2003 finding that the applicant has claimed three patentably distinct inventions (i.e., no one of which is made "obvious" in view of the others or any combination thereof under 35 U.S.C. §103), applicant hereby elects the patentably distinct invention II comprising claims 5-20 for further substantive examination in the present application.

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